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having trapezoid distortion caused therein, a second projection optical system for obliquely projecting the light from the intermediate image onto a surface for projection so as to cause converse trapezoid distortion, and re-imaging it, and a light deflecting element for deflecting the optical axis of the first projection optical system so that the optical axis of the first projection optical system deflected by the light deflecting element is made to substantially coincide with the ontical axis of the second projection ontical system. --

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please substitute the paragraph starting from page 11, lines 8-12 with the following.

 $bV_{--}$  The plan construction of the eccentric Fresnel lens is shown in Fig. 5. As can be seen from this figure, the eccentric Fresnel lens (elements 12 and 13 as shown in Fig. 5) can be formed by cutting out at a position offset from the center of general concentric circular Fresnel. --

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1 and 11, and add claims 13-15 as follows.

2. (Amended) A projection type display apparatus comprising:

a first projection optical system for obliquely projecting light from an original picture onto a predetermined surface, said farst projection optical system forming an intermediate image of the original picture on or near said predetermined surface;

a second projection optical system for obliquely projecting the light from said predetermined surface onto a surface for projection; and

light deflecting means disposed between said first projection optical system and said second projection optical system for deflecting the light emerging from said first projection optical system;